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INTERESTING LOCAL PICK-UPS TERSELY TOLD.

Laakman's for drugs.
Groceries at Klein's.
Fly paper at Klein's.
Spring chickens at Klein's.
Union-made shoes at Herzog's.
Klein Grocer Co. saves you money on sugar.
New line of Tennis Rackets at Pelly's Book Store.
Miss Gladys Gray is visiting friends in Commerce.
Mrs. Frank Vernon is visiting friends at Charleston.
Miss Alice White has been visiting Potosi friends.
For perfect bread—Gold Medal Flour—at Klein's.
Miss Irene Nixon is visiting friends in Verona, Tenn.
Will Blackledge of Ste. Genevieve spent the 4th here.
Miss Florence Lawrence is visiting friends in St. Louis.
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Carter visited friends here last week.
Paraffine 10 cents per pound at Laakman's Drug Store.
Jerome Dover of Potosi is visiting relatives here this week.
Miss Ethel Merritt of Bonne Terre is visiting relatives here.
Miss Grace Sleeth is visiting Miss Mary Hoeke at Hillsboro.
Willie Pipkin and Gilbert Lorenz spent the Fourth in Hillsboro.
Chase & Sanborn's Coffee, always uniform—Klein Grocer Company.
Miss Kathleen Weber and Mrs. Parkhurst are visiting in St. Louis.
New line of box stationery at Pelly's Book Store from 10 cents to \$1.00
You will always find a full line of the best make of Shoes at Herzog's.
Castor Lubricating Oil 35 cents per gallon at Laakman's Drug Store.
Mrs. Bernice McCormick went to St. Louis to visit friends for the Fourth.
See those comical cartoons with your face on them at Kahn's Studio.
Miss Gladys Rozier left Friday morning for St. Louis to visit friends for a week.
Misses Myra and Carrie Ware of St. Louis are the guests of Mrs. Ellen Williams.
Mrs. George J. Cole has returned from a visit of several weeks at El Paso, Texas.
Be up to date and have your photo taken on postal cards at 10 cents each at Kahn's Studio.
C. M. Dawson and Theodore Previtt of Fredericktown spent the Fourth here and in the Lead Belt.
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Talbert and little daughter of Lexington, Ky., are visiting relatives here.
Earl McMullin left last week for Charleston to accept a good position in a store at that place.
A hay-ride and sunset supper was given at the Hospital by Mrs. Kuhn in honor of her guests on the Fourth.
Woven wire fencing at Tetley-Klein Lumber Co's. Dont order before seeing them and noting what they have to offer.
Mrs. LaFavre Yancey returned to her home in St. Louis Tuesday after a visit of several weeks with relatives here.
As far as we have heard no disturbance or serious accidents occurred at any of the picnics in this county on the Fourth.
B. B. Tatum of Miami, Florida, is visiting at Southern Methodist Parsonage. Mr. Tatum is a brother of Mrs. C. Fred Blackburn.
Rev. John W. Wood will preach at Oak Grove Church, Ste. Genevieve county, on the fifth Sunday in July at 11 o'clock a. m.
Mrs. N. B. Lackey and her daughter Mrs. Gesellschap and baby Grace, are visiting Judge J. S. Clay, Mrs. Lackey's brother.
An automobile party consisting of Dr. R. W. Gay, Thad Baldwin, W. T. Gay and Mr. Knuss, came over from Ironton last Sunday.
The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church, South, held a memorial service yesterday afternoon in memory of their late resident, Mrs. L. J. White.
It is said you want Tetley-Klein lumber Co. invite you to inspect their stints before buying. They will make to your interest to see them.

The Bible School of the Christian Church will hold their annual picnic at Woodland Park next Tuesday, July 10th. Cars will leave church at 9:15 a. m.
The many friends of Mrs. Max McClure will be glad to hear that Mr. McClure has decided to make this their home, and they will soon begin to build near her father's residence.
Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hartkopf of Colwell, Idaho, is visiting Mrs. Hartkopf's brother, E. J. McKinney, and other relatives here this week. This is the first meeting of Mr. McKinney and his sister in twenty years.
Messrs. Logan Clendening and Earle Palmer of Canon City, Colo., are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Kuhn at the Superintendent's residence of State Hospital No. 4. Miss Elizabeth K. Jenks of Port Huron, Mich., is expected Monday.
A pair of eloping couples from Bonne Terre were arrested in St. Louis the other day, and the girls were returned to their parents. The girls were Maud Thomas and Ida Skaggs, aged respectively 14 and 15, and the young men were Will Clark and David Lloyd.
Mrs. R. Fugate has brought her sister, Miss Mary Parkin, here from Fredericktown, that she may look after and care for her. Miss Parkin has been afflicted for a number of years and now needs kind and almost constant attention, which she is sure to receive from Mrs. Fugate.
There were several private picnic parties for the Fourth at Woodland. The Rozier, Anthony, Fisher and Jones families enjoyed a delightful afternoon picnic on the spacious lawn at the Jones residence, supper being served on the lawn in true picnic fashion. Later in the evening there were fireworks for the children, Lavinia, Lucille and Paul.
The M. W. of A. Band picnic at Farmington on the 4th was a splendid success. It was attended by between 1,500 and 2,000 people. Everything passed off in the most orderly manner, the music was fine, the refreshments all that could be desired, and the games greatly enjoyed. The band wishes to express its thanks to Mr. Turley for the use of his grove, and to all who in any way contributed to make it a success.
Mrs. G. W. Moothart entertained as her guests last week Misses Rose and Julia Klenn of DeSoto. The Misses Klenn are educated, talented and highly cultured young women, each being principal of a ward school. They consider Farmington an ideal residence place, a town of schools and churches, and returned to their home Monday with a high appreciation of the courtesies shown them by their hosts, the young people of the town and the ladies of the official family of State Hospital No. 4.
Big Revival at Bismarck.
For the past three weeks a big religious revival has been in progress at Bismarck at the Southern Methodist Church under the direction of Evangelist Finley of Texas. He is a fine speaker and large crowds have been attracted to the meetings and great interest manifested. Up to last Monday there had been between 50 and 60 conversions and there was no flagging in the interest.
A Fine Wheat Crop.
The Martin Brothers, Will and George, harvested this year one of the finest crops of wheat ever raised in St. Francois county. They had 35 acres in wheat, and it was threshed last week, yielding 32 4-5 bushels to the acre, or a total of 1,148 bushels. They sold and delivered it to the Gleasing Milling Co. last Saturday, receiving 80 cents a bushel for it. When put on the scales it weighed 62 pounds to the measured bushel, and Peter Gleasing said it was the finest wheat he had ever seen raised in this county.

BIBLE SOCIETY MEETING.

Annual Meeting Attended by Large Congregation—Election of Officers for Ensuing Year.
The annual meeting of the St. Francois County Auxiliary Bible Society was held at the Presbyterian Church in Farmington Sunday evening, July 1, 1906. A. J. Leathers, president, presiding.
Preceding the regular program a beautiful voluntary on the large pipe organ was skillfully rendered by Miss Elsie Cayce, after which "Stand Up for Jesus" was sung by the congregation. Rev. Edward Owens read the nineteenth psalm, prayer was offered by Rev. H. R. Singleton, and the congregation joined in singing hymn No. 78.
The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved, and then followed the reports of the depository and treasurer, and it was announced that the executive committee had no report to make.
DEPOSITORY'S REPORT.
FARMINGTON, Mo., July 1, 1906.
Books from Mrs. Kreiger..... \$71.12
Cash..... 1.54
Books received during year..... 23.58
\$96.71
Books on hand July 1, 1906..... \$35.74
Books given away..... 1.35
Freight on books..... 1.35
Cash paid treasurer Feb. 1906..... 27.30
Cash on hand..... 30.77
\$96.71
TREASURER'S REPORT.
May 8, 1905, To cash in treasury \$10.36
" collection in M. E. Church..... 5.04
Feb. 19, 1906, cash from depository..... 37.30
\$52.70
Dec. 27, 1905, by cash for case of Bibles..... \$ 3.25
Feb. 19, 1906, by cash sent to New York Bible House..... 40.00
April 30, by amount paid former depository on settlement..... 3.77
\$47.02
Leaving balance due treasurer..... 4.12
Both reports were on motion received and approved.
President Leathers appointed the following persons as a committee to nominate officers for the ensuing year: T. D. Fisher, O. W. Bleack, J. P. Zollman, Merrill Pipkin and Dr. W. E. Elliott.
ANNUAL ADDRESS.
The annual address was then delivered by Rev. C. Fred Blackburn, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, who took for a text Matthew 13:31-32—the parable of the mustard seed. He said in part:
The parable of the mustard seed was used simply to illustrate the small beginning and vast growth of the American Bible Society. The American Bible Society as a national organization was founded in 1816, its organization being inspired by the great needs of the South and West which were beyond the resources of a State Society.
Unfolding the aims and the work of the American Bible Society, the speaker illustrated the work among the destitute and the ignorant found in country places and crowded cities. A noble work is being done among the blind in publishing the scriptures in raised type, so that the afflicted ones may feel their way through the pages of sacred truth.
One of the most important lines of activity is that of supplying immigrants to the United States with a copy of the bible in their native language. Up to October, 1904, 1,932,066 volumes had been distributed at Ellis Island. Among the miners of Pennsylvania the Scriptures have been distributed in 40 different languages.
The work among the soldiers is another feature of the work of the American Bible Society. 12,352,962 volumes were given away during the great civil war. Among the sailors, through the Seamen's Friend Society and other agencies, the Word of God is circulated.
The speaker recited a touching incident showing the needs of the Indians and how they were supplied with the Bible; also the colored people were not neglected.
Perhaps the most far reaching in results is the work done in foreign lands, where, ahead of the missionary in some instances, and always as an aid to the missionary, the American Bible Society sent Bibles in the languages of the natives.
Summing up the great work done it was stated that 76,272,770 volumes had been issued from the Society since its organization.

STEAM BRICK MAKING

The Pratt & Tinnin Yards Equipped to Mold 24,000 Brick a Day—Immense Drying Sheds.
We visited this week the brick yards of Pratt & Tinnin, just south of town, and witnessed the working of their new steam process of moulding brick, just installed by them. Mr. Pratt has long been successfully engaged in making brick here, and several years ago took his son-in-law, W. L. Tinnin, into partnership with him. They used the old hand-moulding and yard-drying process, but about a year ago put in machinery to be run by steam power and to mold brick from the dry or slightly moistened dirt or clay. It proved not to be adapted to the dirt of this section and was not a success. Recently they substituted what is known as the Ideal mud machine, and it works like a charm. The machine has a capacity for moulding about 24,000 brick a day and they come out of the molds as square and perfect and almost as smooth as pressed brick. It keeps two men busy feeding the machine, and a half dozen or more to handle the molds as they come out of the machine and carry the brick to the drying sheds, for which latter purpose an ingenious truck is used to lift and transport the brick and put them in place in the shed.
The immense drying shed is fitted up with compartments and movable shelves, with air passages between, and the whole is covered with galvanized iron, constructed in sections that may be raised and opened to let in the sunshine and closed at night or when it is raining, thus protecting the brick in drying out for the kiln from the weather. This shed will hold 80,000 brick.
The present plant cost about \$3,500, and is one of the business enterprises for which our town has reason to congratulate itself. We wish our energetic friends continued success in their business.
BEST GAME OF SEASON.
Farmington and Union Trust Company of St. Louis Play Six Innings to 1-1 Score—Patton in Fine Form.
In what was the best ball game of the season, Farmington played the Union Trust Company, one of the strongest teams in the Banker's League of St. Louis, to a 1 to 1 score at Woodland Park last Wednesday. Patton was in fine form, allowing the visitors only two hits and struck out 8. Niggeman allowed 6 hits and struck out 8. Another feature of the game was the batting of Hough, he getting 2 hits out of three times up. Probably the best play of the game was pulled off by E. Blue and Hough. Uhrig rapped the ball hard to E. Blue, and Simpson, who was on third, started home, but Blue sent the ball to Hough like a shot and caught Simpson ten feet from the plate. In the fourth, Rickard singled, stole second, went to third on Hough's hit and scored on Patton's fine hit over the left field fence. For St. Louis, Johnson got to first on Barney Blue's error, stole second and scored on Donnewald's hit.
The Union Trust Company is not only the best ball team that has played here this year, but every man on the team is a gentleman, and if Farmington can secure such teams to play here, they are sure of good patronage. The official score follows.

Union Trust Company.													
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Uhrig, 2b	3	0	0	2	2	0		W. Johnson, rf	3	1	0	0	1
Haines, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0		Rckers, c	3	0	0	0	1
Donnewald, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0		B. Johnson, ss	3	0	0	0	0
R. Johnson, ss	3	0	0	0	0	0		Shad, 1b	1	0	0	5	0
Shad, 1b	1	0	0	5	0	0		Simpson, 3b	2	0	0	2	0
Simpson, 3b	2	0	0	2	0	0		Niggeman, p	2	0	1	2	4
Totals	23	1	2	18	8	2							

Farmington.													
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
B. Blue, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	1		Rickard, 2b	3	1	1	0	1
E. Blue, ss	3	0	0	1	3	1		Hough, c	3	0	2	9	0
Herman, p	3	0	0	0	0	0		Patton, p	3	0	0	0	0
Patton, p	3	0	0	1	0	4		Simpson, lf	2	0	0	1	0
Giessing, 1b	2	0	0	6	0	0		H. Asbury, rf	2	0	1	0	0
Totals	24	1	6	18	8	3							

Earned Runs, Farmington 1; base on balls, off Patton 1; struck out, by Patton 8, by Niggeman 8; left on bases, Farmington 4, U. T. C. 5; time, 1:10; Umpire, Morris.

MOOTHART COMMERCIAL COLLEGE.

Close of the First and a Most Successful Year of the Farmington School.
Moothart's Commercial College closed a most successful year of school this week and will reopen its fall term on Tuesday, Sept. 4, 1906. The Times is especially pleased to note the very commendable work done by this institution, which was organized last September, and while it had from the beginning many ardent supporters, there were others who looked on it with a suspicious eye; but, mindful only of the great responsibility reposed in him, Prof. Moothart labored unceasingly, giving his own personal time and effort to the work on hand, so that, at the closing this week, he may feel amply rewarded indeed for the large number of students he has been permitted to enroll (90 in number), as well as having the satisfaction of graduating a large percentage of this enrollment. To have accomplished such noticeable results in one year was not expected by the most ardent supporters, and that our citizens and the public generally owe him their thanks and special commendation as well as the pledging of their intentions and determinations to aid and assist him in every way possible to increase, yes, double the attendance the coming year. This can be done if we all give the support to this school, as well as the other Farmington schools, that we as citizens should give, as to estimate the great benefit derived from such an institution is impossible.
One thing is sure, that the tide of commercial education is rising rapidly and more young men and women are yearly taking advantage of the opportunities offered by first-class Business Colleges. It has been demonstrated that within a reasonable time and small outlay of money young people can be thoroughly qualified in this kind of school so as to become proficient stenographers and bookkeepers, enabling them to go out in the business world and make an honorable livelihood with an excellent opportunity of rapid promotion and increase of salary from year to year.
Prof. Moothart has said from time to time that the demand for his graduates is at all times greater than the supply. This speaks volumes for the grade of work he is doing. With these comments we would not have the public understand that we are partial to this school, we are heartily supporting all of the educational institutions of Farmington, but this being the youngest in our midst, we feel it our duty to give it a strong commendation, and hence we wish to urge upon our citizens the importance of not only keeping their children at home in case they want commercial educational work, or any other line of work offered by our other schools, but urge that they forward the names of all young people interested to the different principals so that free advertising matter may be sent them. Believing that the closing of the Moothart College is but the beginning, as it were, of a school of great magnitude, we pledge our earnest present and future support.
Catholic Services.
Father Stolte announces that he will go to Doe Run early Sunday morning to say Mass. There will be High Mass at the church here at 10 o'clock. It is desired that all the men of the Catholic church meet with Father Stolte at the parochial residence Monday evening.
People in town complain a great deal of the havoc rats have made with their chickens, but down in New Madrid county the rats try to carry off young pigs.

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